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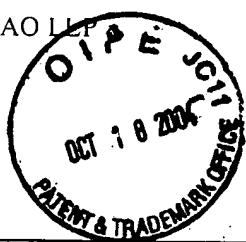
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TITLE OF INVENTION: TWO-STEP SOURCE SIDE IMPLANT FOR IMPROVING SOURCE RESISTANCE AND SHORT CHANNEL EFFECT IN DEEP SUB-0.18MUM FLASH MEMORY TECHNOLOGY

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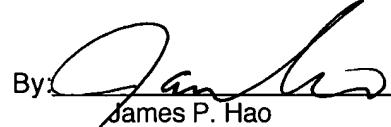
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